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MADERO AND SUAREZ KILLED IN COLD BLOOD **UNDER "FUGITIVE LAW"**

Deposed President and Vice President Shot Down While on Way from Palace to Penitentiary.

REIGN OF TERROR SWEEPS MEXICO

Mexico City, Feb. 23.—A reign of terror has been inaugurated. Francisco I. Madero and Pino Suarez, deposed President and Vice President of the republic, have fallen—shot down in cold blood during a midnight ride from the National Palace to the penitentiary.

Felix Diaz's threat of last night, "We will use such energetic means at o put an end to rebellions forever," has been followed by

MARTIAL LAW PREVAILS.

Murder and anarchy have been let loose to cement the work of the revolution. The Maderistas and all other opponents of the military dynasty which has been established are to be exterminated. Opposi-

tion to the Diaz-Huerta regime is to be drowned in blood. Martial law alone prevails. The jails are being filled with suspects. There are rumors of other official assassi-

The official explanation of Madero's re-siduation and Scarces is twofold and estraductory. Gen. Victoriana Buerta.

CONSULT WILSON

New York Newspaper States Stimson and Wood Are to Meet President-elect.

RESPONSIBILITY SHIFTED

Heads of Foreign Affairs, Naval and Army Committees of Congress Get Instructions.

New York, Feb. 2.—The New York American to-morrow will print the fol-lowing from Washington: "It is learned to-night that President Tail has shifted the burden of the Mexi-

Taft has shifted the burden of the Mexican situation to the shoulders of President-elect Woodrow Wilson, "When the President returned to Washington from New York to-night his first act was to notify Severary of War Stimon and Mai. Gen. Leonard Word that they were to confer with President-cleat Wilson sometime within the next forty-eight hours, probably Tuesday. "Hurry calls were also sent out for the chairman of the committee on Porreign Relations, Military Afsirs, and Navai Affairs. These representatives of Congress were likewise told that the Taft administration would take no initial step with regard to Mexico unless some direct attack had been made on the American;

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'It is considered highly probable that when President-elect Wilson takes the matter up in conference he will ask that Senator Cullon, of the Presign Relations Committee: Representative Plood, of the President Affairs Committee, Senator Warren, of the Military Affairs Committee, and Senator Perkins, of the Neval Affairs Committee, he present.

the Naval Affairs Committee, be present.

No one of these men would discuss the matter to-might or even admit the nature of their talk with the President other than to confirm the Taft solicy as already announced. This policy of continued inaction in the face of reports revealing grissome details of the reign of terror in the City of Mexico is plainly a surprise to Secretary Street Secretary Secretary Street Secretary Secretary Street Secretary Secretary Secretary Street Secretary Sec

Ready for Entire Division.

"Get: Aleshire, who is at the head of the Quartermater's Department, announces that he is ready to receive an nounces that he is ready to receive an occur of the provide for a large body of troops with much more efficiency than has marked the handling of any previous campaign.

"Every man connected with the army and navy department is eager to get into action, and when yesterday's news first reported all seemed to think that some definite step would have been taken as soon as President Taft returned the killing of Madero and Suarga to be the silling of Madero and Suarga to be the answer of the linearts of the two tors caused with the army from the order of the succession of "hammer toos." The order of the succession of the success

Through Parlor Cur to Atlantic City Leaves Washington, via Pennaylvania Railrond, at 19:00 a. m. week days, except March 3 and 4; arrives Atlantic City 2:00 p. m. 1.33 City 2:00 p. m.

EIGHT DAYS INTERVENE AND WILLIS MOORE IS PUZZLED

INAUGURATION WEATHER

AIRSHIPS THAT PASS IN NIGHT STARTLE BRITAIN

Mysterious Dirigibles Flashing Search lights Over Countryside Arouse English War Office.

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OLD SOLDIER WANTS SENATE CHAPLAINCY

Rev. Valentine F. Schmitt Indorsed Veteran Organizations for Rev. Pierce's Place.

STANCH MARYLAND DEMOCRAT



Cavalieri Offers Box for Concert to Her One-time Brother-in-law.

HE WRITES TO MR. TAFT

Federal Permission Asked to Enter District by Author of "Who's Looney Now?"





DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH MEXICO SEVERED PENDING EXPLANATIONS

Ambassador Wilson and Other Representatives Virtually Put Huerta Government on Trial for Crime.

TAFT IS STILL UNMOVED TO ACTION

Pending a full investigation of the circumstances surrounding the killing of former President Madero and former Vice President Pino Suarez in the streets of Mexico City yesterday, Ambassador Wilson and the other foreign diplomatic representatives in Mexico have declined to meet the officials of the new government in that country, Ambassador Wilson informed Secretary of State Knox last night that he had requested the Mexican Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. de la Barra, to postpone the reception to the diplomatic corps, which was to have been held to-day, until the killing of the deposed officials

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GOVERNMENT FLT ON TRIAL

Mexico City 1

That the Huerta government in Mexico City has thus been virtually put on trial to exculpate itself from complicity in the killing of Madero and Pino Suarez, was the interpretation put upon Ambassador Wilson's action here. It also was regarded as extremely significant of the skepticism with which the disclaimer of the provisional government of any connection with the killing of the former President and View President has been received.

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It was recalled here last night that similar action was taken by the diplomatic corps at Belgrade when the King and Queen of Servia were murdered in their beds by via were murdered in their beds by a room of army officers stationed

No communication of any kind was received in Washington last sight tending to confirm the sen-sational reports of the assausa-sation of Ambasandor Mison,

DEATH MEETS HIS ENEMIES.



GEN. FELIX DIAZ.

PILGRIMS INVADE MONUMENTAL CITY

ter Hotel Lobby with Varicolored Mud.

CHANGE PLANS DURING THE DAY

Rosalie Jones and dragging half of Northern Marriand at their feet, the suffragist pilgrims moded the exclusive

jobbe of the Stafford Hotel with their vari-emberd mud that their had collected between here and Helair on their eighteen mile faunt te-day.

There is no great fantare of trumpels mer mutering of flags, but Baltimore is to-night tracting its hair because of digrepted political truews and gain preparations for receptions.

After announcing that they would spend the night at Towson, the pilgrims changed their minds and decided on Overlea, but on learning that these places merely wanted some advertising. "Gen." Jones decided to make Haltimore, although the party was not due here until tomorrow morning.

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On sight of the marchers. Baltimore tried to wave the pilgrims back so that the score of entertalments might not be set away. "Baltimore or bust to-night was the "generals" ultimatum, and Baltimore it was. All except "Onl" Craft, who pledding along painfully far in the rear, knew nothing of the change of orders and headed for Overlea. To-morrow morning the flower of Baltimore's millits will like to Overlea and encort her into town just as though she were the whose pilgrimage.

Twenty-five policemen ushered the all-grims through the nob and into the city. At least \$250 persons throughed in front of the Stafford and the motor cycle club, thirty strong, came on behind, from William D. Gill, member of the staff of God Goldsberough, was person unofficially, Mrs. J. Charles believe to the staff of God Goldsberough, was person unofficially.

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a group of army officers stationed

at the court. Tells of Killing.

In a dispatch dated I p. m. yesterday the State Department recreived from Ambiasador Wilson the official version of the killing of former President Madero and former Vice President Pinc disarve, while they were being transferred from the National Palace to the pentientary.

The Ambiasandor reported that the Mexical Mineter for Foreign Affairs, Mr. de in Burra Saturday night accided the meaning of the power ment.



SENORA SARAH MADERO



BLOODSHED MARKS HIS REIGN.

GEN. AURELIO HUERTA